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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

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10/30/03

Applicant: Mitsuharu Hitotsuyanagi, et al.
Application Number: 09/965,054
Filing Date: September 26, 2001
Title: CARCASS PLY PRODUCING
APPARATUS, CARACASS PLY
PRODUCING METHOD AND
PNEUMATIC TIRE
Examiner Name: Adrienne C. Johnstone
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(X) Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed
on September 17, 2003.

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2. Fees:

(X) RCE fee (\$770 large entity)

(X) Extension of Time fee: One Month (\$110)

3. Payment:

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